

registered thereon, and the cost of such subdivision and preparation of proper registry books shall be paid by the County Commissioners of the counties in which such subdivisions shall be made upon proper requisitions and vouchers presented by the Boards of Supervisors of Elections. The boundaries of said additional precincts established under this section shall be made known by advertisement in two newspapers in said counties, once a week for three successive weeks, before the first day of September in each year, in which such subdivision is made, said newspapers to be designed* as provided in other cases under this article where advertisements are required to be made in at least two newspapers; provided, however, that nothing in this section shall be construed to alter or change the boundaries or location of any precinct as now established by the several Boards of Supervisors of Elections, and all precincts as now located and laid out or subdivided by the Supervisors of Elections be and the same are hereby sanctioned, ratified and confirmed, provided, however, that nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent the several Boards of Supervisors of Elections in the counties of this State, with the exception of Wicomico county, from subdividing any district, precinct or precincts in conformity with the provisions of this section; and provided further, that in Wicomico county, the several districts and precincts as now laid out and located, and the polling places therein as now located in the said several districts and precincts are sanctioned, rectified*) and confirmed and the Board of Supervisors of Elections shall have no power in said Wicomico county to subdivide or re-locate any district or precinct, and shall have no power to change the location of any polling place in said county.

See notes to this section (as it stood in 1911) in volume 1 of the Annotated Code.

Contested Elections.

129.

Sections 129 to 145 are not applicable to primary elections. The contested elections of officers provided for by this section are elections at which the offices included are to be filled, and have no application to contests concerning the right to be candidates for such offices. The nominee of a political party is not an "officer," nor is a candidate for such nominee a candidate for an office within the meaning of section 130. *Foxwell v. Beck*, 117 Md. 5.

130.

See notes to section 129.

131.

See notes to section 129.

133.

See notes to section 129.

*Evidently a typographical error in the act.